



In re Application of:)

AMENDMENT (B)

Box:

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 4, 2004, kindly amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.